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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Comrades,

November is here and is the most important month to our Legion and Veterans. Remembrance day is right around the corner. Please support our Veterans in the Poppy Campaign and attend the Remembrance Day service on the 11th at our branch. Remember when you took your pledge that you promised to promote the work of the organization; including active participation in Poppy Campaigns.

I would like to say thanks to all the people who came out and supported our pork schnitzel; it was nice to see 250 people to a dine-in! It would be incredible to see more Friday dine-ins like that. Come on out and support your local branch and have a great meal at the same time.

In closing I would like to congratulate our Pipe Band for winning the community spirit award, they put countless hours of service into our legion and community! Thanks Pipe and Drum Band.

See you on remembrance day.

Yours in comradeship
Glenn Bennett

Always
&
Forever



Sports Officer

Comrades,

Zone and District sports are upon us again this year. Zone Darts, Cribbage, Euchre and 8-9 Ball Pool are some of the sports that you can enter. You must be a paid up member for 2012 to play in Zone Sports and can play until June 31, 2013. If you qualify for District Sports you must be paid up for 2013.

If you want to enter a sport, fill out a Sports Form and give it to me. It must be signed by the President and the Secretary as well.

Our Friday Night Fun Darts are doing very well and the Northern Dart League is doing well too.

If you are interested, you can play Cribbage on Tuesday nights at 7:00 pm at our Legion. Come out and enjoy Cribbage or Darts!

Yours in Comradeship

Larrie Coulson
Sports Officer



In Flanders fields the poppies blow
Between the crosses, row on row,
That mark our place; and in the sky
The larks, still bravely singing, fly
Scarce heard amid the guns below.

We are the Dead. Short days ago
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
Loved and were loved, and now we lie
In Flanders fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe:
To you from failing hands we throw
The torch; be yours to hold it high.
If ye break faith with us who die
We shall not sleep, though poppies grow
In Flanders fields.



Remembrance Day

Comrades,

We are in the most important month of the year for the Legion. As members of The Royal Canadian Legion we have taken a pledge to support the Poppy Campaign.

It is time to reflect "what does Remembrance Day mean to you". As a Legion member it should mean you will support your Branch by assisting with Tag Day which is being held on October 27 and the door-to-door campaign being held on Sunday November 4th. This year the Callander Boy Scouts will be assisting with the door-to-door campaign so lets get as many members out as possible so we are not outnumbered!

On Remembrance Day everyone is invited to participate in the parade which is to be followed by the service at the Legion and wreath laying at the Cenotaph.

There will be entertainment provided by Bill Vrebosch and refreshments in the afternoon at the Legion.

"In the presence of those members here assembled I do declare my allegiance to the Sovereign and loyalty to my country. I promise to be true to the purposes and objects of The Royal Canadian Legion as set forth in the constitution thereof. To observe its rules and bylaws and ever strive by all proper means to promote the work of the organization including active participation in Poppy Campaigns."

Yours in Comradeship
Poppy Chair
Irene Lewis



November 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Legion General Meeting 7:00 pm	2 Yoga 9:30am Roast Chicken Julie McCorrie Fun Darts	3
4 Poppy door to door	5 L.A. Meeting 7:30 pm Exercise Class 10:00 am N.D.L.	6 Pool 1:30pm Fiddlers 7:00 pm O/55 Executive Meeting Cribbage 7:00pm	7 O/55 Darts	8 O/55 Pot Luck 5:30pm	9 Yoga 9:30am Pork Schnitzel Bill Vrebosch Fun Darts	10
11 Remembrance Day	12 Exercise Class 10:00 am N.D.L.	13 O/55 Euchre Pool 1:30pm Cribbage 7:00pm	14 O/55 Darts Boy Scouts Mtg-Seniors Room 7-9:30pm	15 Legion Executive Meeting 7:00 pm	16 Yoga 9:30am Roast Beef Rebecca Fun Darts	17
18	19 Exercise Class 10:00 am Flu Clinic 12pm-4pm-Main Hall N.D.L.	20 Pool 1:30pm Cribbage 7:00pm	21 O/55 Darts VON Foot Clinic-Seniors Room	22	23 Yoga 9:30am Fish and Chips Bill Vrebosch Fun Darts	24 Hall Booked
25	26 Exercise Class 10:00 am N.D.L.	27 Kennel Club Pool 1:30pm Cribbage 7:00pm	28 O/55 Darts	29	30 Yoga 9:30am Swiss Steak in Gravy Back in Tyme Fun Darts	

December 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
2 Ladies Auxiliary Christmas Party	3 L.A. Meeting 7:30 pm Exercise Class 10:00 am N.D.L.	4 Pool 1:30pm Fiddlers 7:00pm Cribbage 7:00pm	5 O/55 Darts	6 Legion General Meeting 7:00 pm	7 Yoga 9:30am Roast Chicken Rebecca Fun Darts	8 Hall Booked
9 Children's Christmas Party	10 Exercise Class 10:00 am N.D.L.	11 Pool 1:30pm O/55 Executive Meeting Cribbage 7:00pm	12 O/55 Darts Boy Scouts Mtg- Seniors Room 7-9:30pm	13 O/55 Christmas Dinner 5:30pm	14 Yoga 9:30am Pork Schnitzel Back in Tyme Fun Darts	15 Hall Booked
16 Turkey Shoot N.D.L.	17 Exercise Class 10:00 am N.D.L.	18 Pool 1:30pm Cribbage 7:00pm	19 O/55 Darts VON Foot Clinic- Seniors Room	20 Legion Executive Meeting 7:00 pm	21 Yoga 9:30am Roast Beef Bill Vrebosch Fun Darts	22
23	24 Exercise Class 10:00 am N.D.L.	25 Closed	26 Closed	27	28 Yoga 9:30am Ham, Scalloped Potatoes, Home Baked Beans Julie McCory Fun Darts	29
30	31 New Years Eve Bill Vrebosch					

SICK AND VISITING

We have lost a life member, Mary Kirk. We have quite a few at home, Brent Coleman is doing well, Joyce Peever is doing therapy for her hip and is coming along. Gary Dehaas and Bruce Rogers are progressing well. Gary Deforge will see his doctor this week in Sudbury for his results.

If there is anyone you know that is sick, please call me to let me know at 705-752-2867.

Yours in Comradeship,
Tony Gagliardi

SERVICE OFFICER

If any Veterans and/or dependents are in need of assistance please contact:

Ron Van Tassell at 497-1102.

Remember Veterans, you do not have to be a Legion member in order to receive assistance.

Yours in Comradeship,
Ron Van Tassell



*"They shall not grow old, as we that are left grow old,
Age shall not weary them nor the years condemn,
At the going down of the sun and in the morning,
We shall remember them"*

Regulations

Comrades, a Notice of Motion was introduced at the last General Meeting held in October. On Thursday November 1 we will address the regulations in question at our General Meeting. Once these last regulations have been passed by the general membership, the completed package will be sent to Provincial Command for final approval. Many hours have been spent trying to get these regulations approved. Comrades, it is imperative that you attend this very important meeting or you will have to live with the decisions rendered by those in attendance.

Yours in Comradeship,
Don Mac Donald
Regulations Chairman

RCL Branch 445, Callander 2012 Poppy Campaign

October 26 to November 11

Tag Day

Saturday October 27, 2012

Door to Door

Sunday November 04, 2012

Remembrance Day Service

Sunday November 11, 2012—9:30 am
at the Legion Hall, wreath laying at the Cenotaph
following the service, Everyone Welcome!

Lest We Forget

Branch Bar Hours

Monday thru Thursday: 11 am - 9 pm

Friday: 11 am - 11 pm

Saturday: noon - 9 pm

Sunday: Noon - 6 pm

Don't forget that our deck is also licensed!

50/50 Draw

Draws will be held on the following dates:

November 1, 2012

December 1, 2012

January 1, 2013

February 1, 2013

- Tickets cost \$1.00 each & are available at the bar.
- Maximum number of tickets printed is 1200
- Prize is 50% of all tickets sold during the eligible period prior to the individual draws.
- Tickets are only valid for the draw date on them
- Remaining 50% will benefit local charities.
- Lottery License is on display at the bar.

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